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SOCIETY MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Deseret Encampment, No. 37, this (Thursday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock in Odd Fellows' hall. Visiting Patriarchs invited to attend. Every member earnestly requested to be present. Grand Patriarch Eberlin will be present.

W. E. PEASE, C. P.

C. M. LUTER, Secy.

BAY LEAF CAMP.—Regular meeting of Bay Leaf Camp No. 1, this (Friday) evening, at 7:30 p. m. All members are requested to be present. J. N. PIERCE, COLLINS, OFFICER. E. A. SCHUBERT, SECRETARY.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Frank Pahmyer is in Mowesqua to-day.

W. H. Starr was in Peoria yesterday.

W. R. Bessie has returned from Toledo.

J. W. Hughes is in Cerro Gordo to-day on business.

Attorney Harry Crea, of Monticello, is in the city to-day.

Dr. Chapman, the evangelist, departed to-day for Bloomington.

Mrs. R. Liddle is very sick at her home 1110 North Water street.

Mrs. VanRiper, of Aurora, Mo., is the guest of Mrs. A. W. Cooklin.

I. J. Davis and family, of Oak Park, arrived in the city this afternoon to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Laura Gontenman of Edwardsville is the guest of Mrs. A. F. Wilson, No. 850 West William street.

Chas. Bamstead went to Barton, Henderson county, this morning to visit his grandfather who is ill.

Miss Mary McDermott has returned from Springfield, where she has been a guest of the Misses Stuck.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Spaulding, of Champagne, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Freeman on West Mason street.

Misses Della Arthur and Mary Lewis, who have been attending school at Normal, arrived home to-day to spend their vacation.

Mrs. Pard Noble is seriously ill at 243 East Washington street. Mr. Noble's 18-month-old daughter is sick with the chicken pox.

Frank Gray, representing the W. H. Oran company, which will appear at the Grand later part of April in "The Senator," was in the city to-day.

John A. Dawson, cashier of the Citizens' National Bank, is at his desk to-day attending to business as usual, having returned this morning from Chicago.

Geo. A. Fleming, returned from Storm Lake, Iowa, Tuesday night, where he has been for several weeks. Everything is fine, oats sown and plowing commenced for corn.

Charles Stonebraker, of Philadelphia, Pa., arrived in the city last night and will have charge of the H. Mueller Gun company fishing tackle exhibit to-night, to-morrow and Saturday.

Henry E. Swirling, of Carlton, Grand Patriarch of the encampment, I. O. O. F., arrived in this city to-day to pay a paternal visit to the local lodge (to-night when eleven candidates will be initiated).

Mrs. A. S. Waltz and J. M. Blythe came home last night from Danville, where they attended the annual meeting of the Eastern Illinois Dental Society. The next session of this society will be held at Urbana.

Mrs. Charles Laux left the city this afternoon to attend the funeral of her nephew, Richard L. Jones of Chicago, son of T. B. Jones, one of the most prominent citizens of Terre Haute, Ind., at which city the burial takes place on Friday.

Frank A. Leforge is reported seriously ill at Grunatown, California. Yesterday his brother, Robert Leforge, received the telegram: "Frank's lungs are breaking down rapidly. There is an abscess on the right lung and immediate danger of the worst." The telegram was signed by E. M. Leforge, a distant relative of F. A. Leforge, with whom Mr. Leforge has been stopping since he went to California.

If you wish to buy WHITE CHINA at a SPECIAL SALE PRICE, kindly call yourself of the opportunity this week, as the sale will CLOSE SATURDAY, and you will not have such a chance for a year again.

PRENDERGAST MUST HANG

To-Morrow, Unless the Governor Interferes—United States Judges Refuse Writ of Habeas Corpus.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN]

CHICAGO, March 22.—The writ of habeas corpus applied for by the attorneys of Patrick Eugene Prendergast, the murderer of Carter Harrison, sentenced to be hung to-morrow, was denied to-day by the four United States judges, to whom the application was made. Unless the governor interferes he will be hung as directed in the sentence. It is not probable that Acting Governor Gill will interfere. Altdorf is not at home.

One More Chance.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Judge Baker has just consented to hear trial of Patrick E. Prendergast for his sanity unless Acting Governor Gill grants a respite. The case will be called later this afternoon.

Once Wealthy, but Died a Pauper.

CHAS. COVERT died at his home in Marshall yesterday, aged 75 years. Born in Illinois he lost all and died in abject poverty. Though an heir to one of the richest estates in America, for the last few years of his life he was a county charge. Mr. Covert was one of the 250 heirs to the famous Harlem estate, a very rich portion of New York City, valued at \$68,000,000. Twice was Mr. Covert notified that his share of the estate would be forwarded in a few months, but it never came.

Notice to Fishermen.

Mr. Charles E. Stonebraker, representing E. K. Tyson, Jr., & Co., the largest fishing tackle house in the United States, will be here on Friday and Saturday, March 23 and 24, with a full line of fishing tackle, including poles, lines and bait of all kinds used in this territory. He would like to meet everyone who takes an interest in fishing, at the store of the H. Mueller Gun Co., in order that he may show them the many new things in this line which have been brought out for 1894. Moh20-36.

An Enamelled Letter Thief.

William Stapleton, claiming to reside at Cairo, Ill., was arrested in Philadelphia, Pa., a few days ago while in the alleged act of stealing enamelled letters from show windows. The police allege that Stapleton has been practicing that kind of a theft for several weeks past, and after taking the letters he would call around in a day or so and solicit from the storekeeper whose window had been despoiled, the job of replacing new letters, and had the audacity to use the stolen letters.

Easter Entertainment.

Myrtle Temple, No. 2, Pythian Sisters, will give an Easter entertainment on Monday evening, March 26th, at Occur de Leon castle hall. An interesting program will be observed. An Easter lunch will be served, for which an admission fee of 10 cents will be charged at the door. The ladies of the Temple intend to make this the most enjoyable of the many entertainments they have given, and are leaving nothing undone to make it so.

PART VI.

Part VI., "Photographic Tour of the World," will be ready to-morrow. It is a superb number fully worth all that the entire 16 parts cost. Christ's entry into Jerusalem and the scene in the garden of Gethsemane, are as fine as modern art can make them. Remember three coupons and eight cents secures this number. Come to-morrow. Back numbers may also be had at the REPUBLICAN office.

The Last and Best

Entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Star course comes Saturday night, March 24. The Schubert Quartet Concert company. There are seven artists, and everybody knows their merit. Reserved seats Thursday, at Tyler's. Admission 50c. 21-33

First Ward Republicans.

Republicans of the First ward will meet on Friday evening, March 23d, at the office of the Shellsburger Milling Co., for the purpose of putting in nomination one alderman.

C. N. TWADDELL, Ch'm'n.

DIED.

At 1027 West Main street, of pneumonia, March 22, at 10 a. m., Donna Fay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kay, aged 4 years 2 months and 8 days.

The remains will be sent to Jacksonville, Ill., on Saturday for interment.

Lost Keys.

To-day a citizen lost a bunch of valuable keys on a chain ring, one a brass door key. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at this office. 20-33

Great Revival

Of interest in gardening since such good seed can be found at Geo. S. Durfee & Bro.'s, Opera House block, South Water street. mar12-dimo

JAMES POSTER of Long Creek, and Mrs. Annie Kinneman of Hammond, were granted a marriage license to-day.

Guests' Sleeve Holders and Necktie Fasteners in silver, at Otto E. Curtis & Bro.'s.

Easter Novelties, in silver, just received by Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

A CONFIDENCE RACKET.

Charles Salogga Inveigled Out of \$5 Last Night.

Charley Salogga, who resides at the corner of Marietta and Calhoun streets, was the victim yesterday of a confidence man, who inveigled him out of a \$5 note. The stranger asked Charley if he would give him a \$5 note in exchange for \$5 in silver, to which proposition Salogga agreed and went into the house and got the money. Salogga handed him the paper money and the stranger then discovered he had only \$4.75. He asked for an envelope and Mr. Salogga furnished one and the paper money was put in it. When Salogga wasn't watching, the stranger removed the money from the envelope. He then proposed that Charley keep the envelope, while he went for the 25 cents needed to make \$5. The stranger then stated that he would first address the envelope to a friend in Springfield, to whom he intended to send the money. When he did this he handed the envelope to Charley, and left to get the 25 cents. An hour passed, and then another, until Charley had given up his return. Pulling out the addressed envelope he intended to put the money back, but when he opened it the money was gone. It then dawned on him that he had been fleeced, and Charley was sore of heart. He hastened to tell his trouble to the police and furnish a partial description of the swindler, but up to noon to-day nothing had been seen of him.

Pointers on Cycling.

Don't buy a bicycle until you have seen our line for 1894, which is now ready and on exhibition at our store.

COLUMBIAS—STERGIOS—CRESCENTS.

The Columbias speak for themselves better than ever this year. See the new 21-pound racer. Call for Columbia Catalogue.

The Stergios must be seen to be appreciated. They are fuller of good features than an egg in full of meat. Why use a Stergios in his famous ride from New York to Chicago. He was ten days in making the trip, breaking the record. He hadn't a break or puncture all the way. Stergios Catalogues are interesting reading. Call for one.

The Crescents are the only first-class low-priced bicycles in America, are an entirely new line, greatly improved, and much lower in price than ever before named for vastly inferior goods. The Crescents inaugurate a revolution in the cycle trade—and are what the public has been looking for since cycling began—namely, first-class bicycles at moderate prices. The model, weights, and every detail of design are "up to date." In fact, the '94 Crescents will give the same service and satisfaction and are practically the same as the most expensive machines of other makes.

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We loan money on commission. Loans made on all classes of security; collateral notes, individual security, first or second mortgages on real estate, bonds for deeds, furniture, live stock, drays wagons, buggies and carriages; also on pianos, organs, warehouse receipts, Loan Association stock, safety deposit receipts, on watches, diamonds and jewelry. Call at Albert T. Summers' Private Bank, No. 145 North Water street, over Abel's Carpet Store. moh19-4&wlv

Sales of Real Estate.

W. L. Owen to John A. Ryan, deed to lot in block 3, recovery of 4th Rolling Mill addition—\$2500.

William Adams to W. H. Adams, deed to lot 5, block 9, in Marion—\$650.

James A. Riney to A. T. Summers, deed to lot 12, block 2, of C. B. & Q.'s recovery of block 1, Currier's addition—\$1,000.

Easter Opening.

Pattern Hats, Bonnets and Millinery novelties. You are cordially invited. Sawyer & McCoy, 110 North Water street. 14-dlw

The Tariff

Does not hinder the seed from growing that you buy at Geo. S. Durfee & Bro's. Opera House block South Water street. mar12-dlm

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NOVELTIES IN GLOVES AND PARASOLS.

All the latest shades in Gloves for Easter.....\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75
Latest Styles in Parasols for Easter.....Prices each from \$1.52 to \$7.00

Novelties in Ribbons and Laces.

Very Latest Styles in Ribbons.....at 8c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c
Laces in all widths and grades.....at 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 50c
Wide and Narrow Insertions.....at 12c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c

NOVELTIES IN SILKS.

100 pieces Printed China Silks, yard.....25c
20 pieces White Habutai Silk.....40c, 50c
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5 pieces Black China Silk, waterproof.....65c
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A PANIC IN EL PASO

Caused by Reports of Depredations at Tucson, Ariz.,

BY RECRUITS FOR GEN. COXET'S ARMY.

A Great Hurrying To and Fro of Preparation—A Later Telegram Denies the Report and Money is Raised to Feed the Men.

EL PASO, Tex., March 21.—The news which was received here to-day by telegraph from Tucson, Ariz., that the industrial army had arrived there from California and was looking for a burning of the town, aroused the citizens to take prompt action to prevent a repetition of such lawless acts in this city. A special session of the council was held in the morning to take steps to stop the army from entering the city limits. It was decided to call a mass meeting of citizens for 5 o'clock this afternoon to discuss the situation.

Gen. Frye, who came here from California in advance of the main body of the army, was arrested on a charge of vagrancy, but his friends instituted habeas corpus proceedings and secured his release at 7 o'clock this evening. He celebrated his release by addressing a mass meeting of the friends and followers of the commonwealth movement in the city park to-night.

There was great excitement on the street in the interval between the issuing of the proclamation by Mayor Solomon calling the mass meeting and the gathering of the citizens. Arms and ammunition were purchased by the people on a wholesale scale and taken to their home with the determination to protect their homes and loved ones from the invaders if they succeeded in running the gauntlet of the guards on duty at the city limits.

The excitement was further increased by a second report received from Tucson at the office of the Southern Pacific railroad superintendent, saying that the town was at the mercy of the army of tramps travelling to Massillon to join the main column under Coxey. The reason given for the acts of lawlessness was that the invaders had been refused food by the citizens.

Excited and determined men of this city filled the courthouse long before the time for the mass meeting. All were discussing the most effective way to prevent mob invasion. The most radical measures were proposed by the hotheads, and it would have fared ill with the troops if they had showed themselves inside the city limits at that time.

When the mayor and members of the city council arrived at the courthouse in a body the following telegram was read:

AGUSTA, Tex., March 21.
To Mayor Solomon and County Judge Hunter.
Replying to your telegram, you are assured that Texas is fully able to arrest, prosecute and punish Gen. Frye and his whole "industrial army" if they rob or plunder your people or otherwise violate the penal code; and she will not call on the federal government for troops to aid in the work. Doubtless the railroad company which brings the men into Texas will carry them through the state on their mission to "intervene congress." Please report all their criminal acts to the sheriff and the laws will be enforced.
(Signed.) J. S. Hogan, Governor.

The governor's message did not satisfy the average citizen. A few minutes after it was received a troop of state rangers passed by the courthouse and proceeded to the state line, which is six miles from this city. They had come in from their camp at Ysleta in response to a request from Sheriff Simmons.

While the meeting was still in progress a telegram message was received from the mayor of Tucson saying that 900 of the industrial army arrived there in the morning. They had been orderly, and after being fed and getting extra rations had moved on to El Paso. This news reassured the citizens, who at once raised \$500 with which to buy food for the army.

SOUTH CENTRAL ARKANSAS

Rapidly Approaching the Condition of an Inland Sea.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 21.—The greatest flood in the history of south central Arkansas is now on and the whole state is rapidly approaching the condition of an inland ocean. It has rained almost incessantly all over the state and in the Indian territory for four days.

Railway communication since Monday has been almost entirely cut off from the south to Texarkana, and from recent reports it is not improbable that the same fate awaits us on the north and west, and possibly the east.

No trains went south to-day, and those going north were made up in this city. Many feet more of the Iron Mountain's tracks have gone under water since yesterday.

Traffic on the south end of the Cotton Belt road was abandoned last night on account of the overflow of Red river. The Iron Mountain ran their trains over this road yesterday, but now they can do nothing but wait until the water recedes. All the trains from the north to-day were crowded with visitors en route to Hot Springs.

To Be Put Into a Book.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 21.—A story founded upon the Pollard-Breckinridge scandal will soon be published by a Chicago firm, according to current reports here. The writing will be done chiefly by a young woman living here who is familiar with the Breckinridge family history and the defendant. It is also reported that the plaintiff may satisfy her ambition in the literary line by writing a book, giving a history of her life.

A friend of the Pollard family said to-day that the plaintiff would at least make an attempt to kill Col. Breckinridge if the jury did not give her a verdict of damages.

PRENDERGAST MUST HANG, GRAVE COMPLICATIONS

The State Supreme Court Refusing to Interfere in His Behalf.

OTTAWA, Ill., March 22.—The motion for a supersedeas in the case of Patrick Eugene Prendergast, the murderer of Carter H. Harrison was denied yesterday afternoon by the supreme court. The opinion of the court was very brief. Chief Justice Baker stated that after carefully considering the points set forth in the abstract, the court had concluded to deny the motion.



Patrick Eugene Prendergast.

There has been very little doubt in the minds of the general public as to the probable result of the efforts of the attorney of Prendergast to secure him a new trial and the ruling of the court was expected. Very few people excepting the attorneys and Prendergast himself looked for a favorable reply.

Prendergast and "Biff" Higgins will be hanged on the same gallows in the Cook county jail to-morrow morning. S. S. Gregory, Prendergast's representative, has telegraphed Acting Gov. Joseph R. Hill, at Murphysboro, Ill., for a reprieve. He has also applied to the judge of the federal court at Chicago for a habeas corpus on the grounds of obstructing the constitution.

The Condemned Man Hears the News and Trembles With Fear.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Prendergast, who is doomed to die to-morrow for the murder of Carter Harrison, trembled with fear and could not speak for a minute when the news from the supreme court was broken to him in his cell. From between his pallid lips at last came the question: "Is it really true?" Then he added: "If it is true I am astonished. There is no justice in such a decision. Have you got the documents? Let me see them. Where are my attorneys? Well, I am not afraid to die. I have the grace of God, and can quit life without the assistance of priests."

When the jailer searched him and took away even his lead pencil, which he has used frequently to while away the hours of his imprisonment, Prendergast protested vigorously, saying: "I shall need that if I am going to die. I have some serious things to write about."

"The decision is such a sudden surprise to me," said C. S. Darrow, one of Prendergast's attorneys, "that I am not ready to say anything, except that we shall at once apply to the governor for a reprieve or a commutation of sentence."

TEN MEN KILLED

And Forty Wounded by an Explosion of Dynamite at Santander.

MADRID, March 22.—A dispatch received from Santander last evening says that ten men were killed and thirty were injured by an explosion of dynamite in the harbor yesterday. The dynamite was in one of the many cases of explosives which went down last November with the wreck of the steamer Cabo Machichaco. Ever since the vessel was blown up divers have worked intermittently upon the wreck and have raised a considerable quantity of the miscellaneous cargo which she brought to Santander. Recently the divers reported that they were getting near the dynamite, but it was supposed that the explosive had lost its power after so many weeks in the water. Three divers went down yesterday when the explosion occurred. Ten men were out in a boat over the spot where the divers were at work. Some fifty men were at work at the docks.

The cause of the explosion of the dynamite is not known exactly. The report shooks the Mendez Nunez street, which skirts the quay along its whole length. The small boat just off the dock was splintered and seven men were killed. Three divers also were killed, and thirty men along the quay were injured seriously. At present it is impossible to get further details. Most of the telegraph wires are down and the town is panic-stricken.

A TERRIFIC BLIZZARD.

Twelve Degrees Below Zero and Still Falling.

OMAHA, Neb., March 21.—The terrific blizzard which has prevailed during the past twenty-four hours continues to rage. Reports from Wyoming, South Dakota and Nebraska indicate a tremendous fall of snow, blocking railroad cuts and delaying railroad traffic everywhere. At Spearfish, S. D., the thermometer is 12 degrees above zero, with colder weather in prospect. The Union Pacific is in very good condition, but the Burlington is badly hampered. West of Pine Bluffs there is six feet of snow.

All Railroad Traffic Suspended.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 21.—All railroad traffic is suspended by the blizzard, which has raged for thirty-six hours. No trains over the Union Pacific or Burlington have come in from the east. Stockmen fear heavy losses, and especially in northern Wyoming.

Four Feet of Snow and all Trains Abandoned.

DEADWOOD, S. D., March 21.—Four feet of snow rests upon the ground to-night and the "beautiful" continues to fall. All trains on the Burlington and Missouri west of Edgemont have been abandoned.

GRAVE COMPLICATIONS

Likely to Follow the Actions of Foreign Naval Officers at Rio.

RIO JANEIRO, March 22.—International complications which threaten to assume a grave character have arisen from the revolution and the subsequent surrender of the insurgent war vessels and the escape of Da Gama and his officers. The Portuguese war ships on which Da Gama and his officers took refuge were permitted to leave the harbor under the express stipulation imposed by the Brazilian government that Da Gama and the officers with him were to remain on board those ships until the governments of Portugal and Brazil had settled the question as to their ultimate destination.

The action of the Portuguese naval officers who protected Da Gama and his officers has raised a strong feeling of indignation in official as well as civil circles, and it is known that President Peixoto is in possession of documents of the utmost importance, as showing that and was systematically given to the insurgents by the officers of other European vessels.

The Italian Budget.

ROME, March 22.—The chamber of deputies yesterday, sitting in committee on the budget, accepted the government's estimates of revenue and expenditures. The proposals impose aggregate taxes of 50,000,000 lire per annum and prescribe economies to an equal amount. In the war and marine departments 30,000,000 lire are to be saved.

The proposed reduction in the interest on rent was rejected by the committee and the rate was fixed at 14 percent, which is the rate of taxation on incomes from personal property. Most of the other new taxes proposed by Sig. Sonnino, the finance minister, were agreed to and a few additions were made, one making a slight increase in the duty on rye.

Senator Colquhoun's Death Only a Matter of Time.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—Senator Colquhoun's bowels are said to be paralyzed, and the physicians reluctantly admit that his death is but a matter of time. The absent members of the senator's family have been telegraphed for.

Appointments

WASHINGTON, March 21.—J. W. Cribbs, of Clarion, Pa., was to-day appointed an officer in the secret service, to take charge of the Pittsburgh (Pa.) district. The president has appointed John W. Fleming, mine inspector for New Mexico, in place of John C. S. Pears.

Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, March 21.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations: George M. Adams, pension agent at Louisville, Ky. James H. Mulligan, of Kentucky, consul-general at Apia, Samoa.

It not only relieves; it does more, it cures. We refer to One Minute Cough Cure. Suitable for all ages, all conditions, at all times. C. H. Dawson.

ADDRESS TO VOTERS.

Notice to the Legal Voters of Decatur Township, Macon County, State of Illinois, Town of Decatur:

The legal voters of the town of Decatur, Macon county and state of Illinois, will take notice, and they are by the corporate authorities and officers of said town hereby notified, that on the first day of March, A. D. 1904, a petition of legal voters of said town of Decatur, residing therein, was presented to the said corporate authorities, and officers of said town of Decatur, which petition is in the words and figures following, to-wit:

To H. F. May, supervisor; Hardin C. Wallace, town clerk, and William H. Hammer, justice of the peace, of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois. Whereas, On the 25th day of September, A. D. 1893, the corporate authorities of Decatur township, Macon county, Illinois, did issue \$25,000 in bonds bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, due in twenty years from date, which said bonds were issued to the Decatur & Monticello railroad company, and Whereas, The said bonds became due and payable on the 25th day of September, A. D. 1893, and Whereas, It is desirable to have said bonded indebtedness refunded at a lower rate of interest.

Now, therefore, we, the undersigned legal voters of said township, and residents therein, do hereby petition you to submit to the voters of said township at the general annual township election to be held on the first Tuesday of April, 1904, the question of issuing bonds to refund the said outstanding bonds, as provided by chapter 111 of the revised statutes of the state of Illinois, entitled "An Act to Enable Counties, Cities, Towns, Townships, School Districts and Other Municipal Corporations, to Fund, Refine and Purchase Their Outstanding Bonds, or Other Evidence of Indebtedness, and to Provide for the Redemption of New Bonds, or Other Evidence of Indebtedness, in the Office of the Auditor of Public Accounts," approved and in force February 16, 1898.

That the question of issuing the new bonds as set forth in the said petition and statement in writing, will be submitted to the legal voters of the said town of Decatur, at the general annual township election to be held on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1904, at the several voting precincts in said town.

GREAT EASTER SALE!

Chas. T. Johnston
DECATUR, ILL.

151 North Water St.

We will offer many Special Inducements to have the people do their trading with us this week, as it is the week before Easter Sunday and a great many goods will be purchased.

SPECIAL SALE+

On Ladies' Jackets and Wraps,
On New Novelty Dress Goods,
On Kid Gloves and Corsets,
On Ladies' and Children's Fine Shoes,
On Hosiery and Underwear,
On Ribbons and Laces.

Sale of Kid Gloves.

We will put on sale for this week choice of our \$1.50 and \$1.75 line of Lacing, Hook and Large Pearl Button Kid Gloves at \$1.19 a pair. Colors, black, tan, brown, blue, green and white. 98c will buy Gloves worth \$1.25 and 1.35.

Ribbons.

Ribbons at 5c a yard. Nos. 5, 7 and 9 Satin and Gros Grain Ribbon on sale at 5c a yard.

Corsets.

Corsets at 39c, 48c, 65c, 75c, 89c and 98c.

Embroidery.

Special sale of Embroidery at 4 1/2c, 5 1/2c, 6 1/2c, 7 1/2c, 8 1/2c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 20c.

Underwear and Hosiery

Special Ladies' 25c Ribbed Summer Vest, 15c. Ladies' \$1.00 Scarlet weave at 68c. Ladies' 75c Natural wool weave at 50c. Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery at 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c and 25c a pair.

Muslin Underwear.

Ladies' Night Gowns, 50c, 65c, 69c, 75c, 89c, 98c. Ladies' Skirts, 50c, 65c, 75c, 89c, 98c to \$1.50. Ladies' Drawers, 25c, 35c, 39c, 48c, 75c. Corset Covers, 25c, 35c, 48c, 75c. Ladies' Aprons at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Wraps and Jackets.

We are showing a nice assortment of New Wraps and Jackets. Wraps at \$3.50, 3.95, 4.50, 4.95 to \$12. Jackets, \$2.95, 3.50, 3.95, 4.50, 6.50, 7.50 to \$10. SPECIAL—One lot of Misses' Jackets (sample \$3.95 line), were sold at \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50 to \$10, all cut to \$3.95 each. Children's Navy Blue all wool Jackets, \$3.00 quality, at \$2.50 this week. All Heavy Cloaks at just half of former price. Buy one now.

Remember we will offer Special Bargains this week in Sheetings, Muslins, Table Linens, Towelings, Skirtings, Percales, Gingham, Stamped Linens.

Be sure and visit our store this coming week, as you will find it will pay you to trade at our store.

Chas. T. Johnston
DECATUR, ILL.

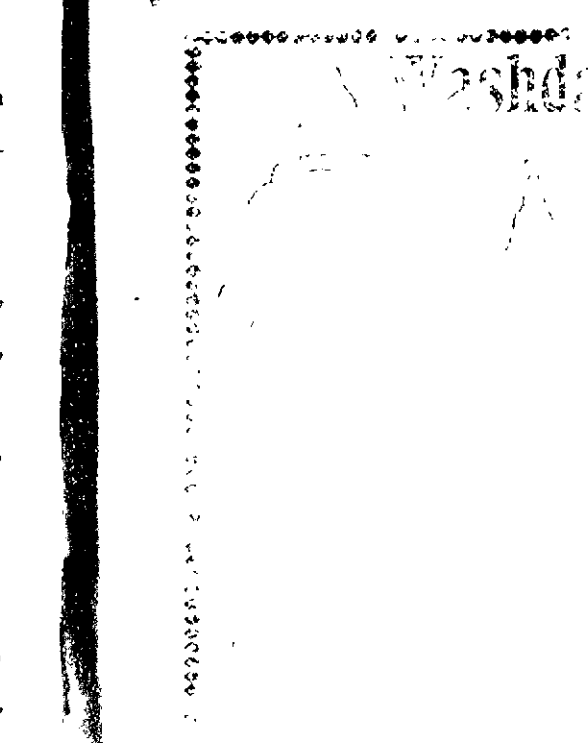


CASH OR EASY



DEALERS who push the sale of W. W. shoes, which help to increase the sale of shoes, are asked to sell on a commission and we will be glad to foot you of the dealer advertised below.

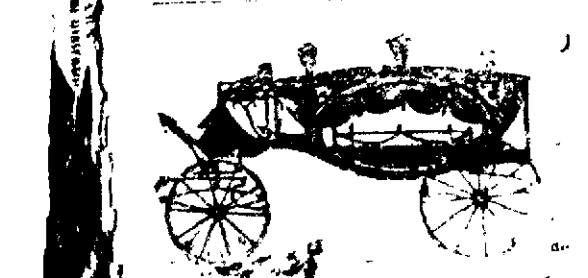
For Sale by H. W. W.



VANISH

During the past thirty days we stock and remnants of goods. We trade with our first installment, Carpets, Matting, Linoleum, Curtains and Wall Paper, in all grades. At not time in the history of the so cheap as we are now offering. Call and see us before buying.

ABEL'S CARPET AND WALL PAPER



AT SALE!

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ACES.

Carpets and Matting.

pecial Cut Prices this week to reduce stock.
all wool Two-Ply Carpets at 58c, 65c, 69c,
73c per yard.
on Ingrains at 25c, 29c, 35c, 39c, 48c.
atings at 12½c, 15c, 17½c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c.
adow Shades at 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c and 75c.

Umbrella Sale.

wo lots to mention.
will buy a splendid Natural Handle English
Gloria Umbrella, value \$1.50.
to will buy an extra quality Twilled Silk Um-
brella, value \$2.00 to \$2.50.

Dress Goods.

our new Novelty Suits just opened at 48, 58,
65 and 75c a yard.
pe Cloths, Sack Cloths, Shepherd Checks,
Silk Mixtures, etc.
nnettas, all colors, 25, 35, 48, 69, 75, 98c.
ghyr Gingham at 12½ and 15c a yard.
w Patterns Fast Black Organdie Lawns at 12½,
15, 17½, 20, 22½ and 25c a yard.

Shoes.

pecial sale of shoes all this week.
dies' Oxfords at 98c, \$1.25, 1.48, 1.75, 1.98,
and 2.50. Black or Tan
dies' Kid Button Shoes at \$1.48, 1.75, 1.98,
2.50 and 3.00.
n's Shoes at \$1.48, 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00, just
opened.
ldren's School Shoes, 98c, \$1.25, 1.39, 1.48.

Men's White Shirts.

Unlaundered Shirts at 39c.
Unlaundered Shirts at 48c.
n's Work Shirts at 39, 48, 65 and 75c.

week in Sheetings, Muslins, Table
Ginghams, Stamped Linens.

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CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS

W. L. DOUGLAS
\$3 SHOE GENUINE
WELT.
Squidless, Button White, proof, Best Shoe. 11 1/2 inch p.
\$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoe.
For a full line of shoes, including boys', see
\$3.50 Police Shoe, 3 1/2 inch p.
Best Walking Shoe ever made
\$2.50, and \$2 shoes,
Unquestioned the best in the world.
Boys \$2 & \$1.75 School Shoes
Are the best to be had.
LADIES'
\$3, \$2.50 \$2, \$1.75
Best Douglas, Stylish, Perfect
Fitting and serviceable shoes
in the world. All styles.
Insist upon having W. L.
Douglas shoes. Name
and price stamped on
bottom. Brooklyn, Mass.

THIS IS THE BEST \$3. SHOE IN THE WORLD.
ALL THE LATEST
STYLES.

DEALERS who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers,
which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can
afford to sell at a less profit, and we believe you can save money by buying all your
footwear of the dealer advertised below. Catalogue free upon application.

For Sale by H. W. WAGGONER & CO.

Washday Witches

Little Witches:
"Bubble, bubble, boiler bubble
Washing day brings lots of
trouble!"

Third
Little Witch:
"Yes, when clothes are
dick as night,
I'll wash them in
hot water!"

Fourth
Little Witch:
"P—"

VANISHED!

During the past thirty days we have cleaned out all old
stock and remnants of goods. We open up for the Spring
trade with our first installment, two carloads, of new styles.
Carpets, Matting, Linoleums, Oilcloths, Window Shades,
Curtains and Wall Paper, in all grades.

At not time in the history of the past have these goods sold
so cheap as we are now offering them.
Call and see us before buying.

ABEL'S CARPET AND WALL PAPER CO.

J. B. BULLARD,
FUNERAL DIRECTOR,
Has removed from Masonic Temple Block to
Syndicate Block, North Main street, where
everything pertaining to the funeral busi-
ness is furnished and attended to in the highest
style of the art. Calls night or day, and re-
sponse prompt attention. In connection a re-
cording vault.
Telephone—224 West William street. Real
estate Salesmen 124, Office 125.

THE WOMAN DID IT.

The Same Cowardly Claim Ad-
vanced by Old Adam

TO SWEAR HIS SIN UPON MOTHER EYE

To be Set Up for the Defense of the
Betrayer of Madeline Pollard—The
Chivalrous Son of "Sacred
Soil" Intimidated.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—There were
no exciting scenes, either tragic or
comic during the day's hearing of the
trial of Madeline Pollard's suit against
Representative Breckinridge for breach
of promise of marriage. The interest
centered in the disclosure of the
line of defense to be pursued,
which was found to be exactly as fore-
shadowed in United Press dispatches
several days ago.

The defendant's case was opened by
Maj. Shelby, his law partner. He
outlined the defense very fully, tell-
ing what Col. Breckinridge expected
to prove and how he would prove it.
Maj. Shelby made known that the
principal point of the defense would
be the production of proof that Col.
Breckinridge submitted to the de-
mands of the plaintiff through intima-
dation and to avoid scandal, and that
it was under these conditions he
stated to Mrs. Blackburn that the
plaintiff and himself were engaged
to be married, when there was no such
agreement between them, and because
Miss Pollard had agreed, this being
done, to go away and pass out of his
Maj. Shelby acknowledged that Col.
Breckinridge and Miss Pollard had
maintained illicit relations, but he
made the flat statement, which he said
would be supported by testimony,
that Miss Pollard made the advances
and told the defendant that Rodes,
her old lover, had been unkindly in-
timate with her—thus placing her in the
position of being the betrayer of Col.
Breckinridge.

Defendant's counsel promised that
testimony would be produced to show
that Madeline Pollard had maintained
criminal relations with other men, and
Maj. Shelby asked the jury to take
into consideration her character for
purity when they were preparing to
render a verdict. The defendant, it
was said, would also claim that Miss
Pollard made three attempts to kill
Col. Breckinridge, and would establish
that he did not maintain illicit rela-
tions with her after the time he be-
came engaged to Mrs. Wing, and cer-
tainly not after his marriage.

After Mr. Shelby closed his opening
address the rest of the day until ad-
journment was taken up by reading
the deposition of Sister Agnes Regine
Brown, of St. Joseph's founding asy-
lum at Norwood, near Cincinnati, with
reference to Miss Pollard's claim that
she gave birth to a child at the asylum
in 1887.

KOSSUTH'S LAST HOURS.

The Liberty-Loving Patriot Paid Dearly
for the Release of D. Ath.

Texas, March 22.—During the last
few days of Kossuth's illness telegrams
were constantly arriving from all parts
of Europe inquiring as to his condi-
tion and friends, especially from Hun-
gary, came on every train. Yesterday
the number of telegrams expressing
sympathy and condolence had increased
enormously and the number of news-
paper correspondents and others seek-
ing admission to the house of the dead
patriot was very great.

The dying man suffered very much
in his last hours. Though he was in
an almost complete state of prostra-
tion, he experienced terrible pains and
breathed with difficulty. He appeared
to retain his mental faculties to the
last. From the time he entered the
death agony, about 12 o'clock, until he
died, at 10:55 p. m., his intense suffer-
ing was heartrending to those who
stood by his bedside. His respiration
became so labored about 4 o'clock that
two bags of oxygen were brought into
his room to facilitate his breathing.
From this time he sank gradually, un-
til an occasional gasp was all that in-
dicated life. In this state he lay for
nearly an hour, and at 10:55 the sick
man gave one final gasp and passed
away, after eleven hours of agony.

Those present at the bedside were
Francesco and Louis Kossuth, his sons;
his cousin, Mrs. Ambrosovich; and her
husband, two sons and a nephew, Col.
Fitz-Elmy; Deputies Karolyi, Lukics
and Etvoses, Count Benyovszky and Mr.
Pevrov, an Evangelical pastor.

Gen Kossuth left no property in
real estate. In consequence of his
losses through Italian banks he was
some time ago compelled to sell his
great library for 16,000 forins. This
and the personal property in his house
is believed to have comprised all his
possessions.

Ford Ward Married.
GENESEE, N. Y., March 22.—The
wedding of Ferdinand Ward, of New
York City, and Miss Belle Storer, of
Staten Island, took place in this village
at 7 o'clock last evening. Rev. George
Ward, of Danville, officiated. Only
the most intimate friends of the par-
ties were present.

Only a Matter of Hours.
WASHINGTON, March 21.—At 11 o'clock
to-night Senator Colquitt was reported
to be slowly sinking. His nephew said
that he had lost all consciousness, and
that dissolution was only a matter of
about half a dozen hours at the longest.
He may die at any moment and
might live until morning.

Fatal Explosion of Natural Gas.
HARTFORD CITY, Ind., March 22.—
Ed Clark's residence, six miles south
of town, was destroyed by a natural
gas explosion. The explosion was
Clark's infant son. The explosion was
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CLOSE ON SUNDAY.

There has been an effort among our
leading citizens, as well as among some
of our clothing merchants, to have their
respective places of business close on
Sunday, but without success.

I have deemed it for the good of our
community that all should be closed, and
I hereby pledge myself, from and after
Feb. 23, 1894, to close my place of busi-
ness at 11 o'clock Saturday night until
Monday morning, whether any one joins
me in this move or not.

However, I shall ask all who wish to
join me in this, to call at The R-publican
Office and place their names under the
above. Respectfully,

GEO. W. JONES, Clothier.

NOTE—The REPUBLICAN is author-
ized to add the name of any Decatur
clothing firm that requests it.

Bachman's Baby
buggies are here; fifty different styles;
the most beautiful line ever shown in
the city, and at prices to suit the times.
Don't fail to see them. We will sell you
a buggy on payments.

BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO.
March 20-411.

LOOK HERE! LOOK HERE!
You can have a good garden, beautiful
flowers and a fine lawn if you buy your
seeds of Geo. S. Darter & Bro., Opera
House block, South Water street.
March 12-411.

Stenographer.
CALL on Miss Nellie B. Calhoun, at
the office of the Columbia Mfg. Co., 114
South Water St., for first class steno-
graphic work.

Dr. T. S. HOSKINS, the veteran dentist
is now in his new office, ground floor, in
Grand Opera House block, South Water
street, ready for business. Improved ap-
pliances; satisfaction guaranteed.
Jan. 3-411.

JOHN A. BRECKIN, president of the Bal-
timore Cactus society, and owner of one
of the finest collections of cacti in the
United States, is negotiating with Gas-
tavo Behrre, of Mexico, for the purchase
by the society of the Mexican cacti ex-
hibit at the World's fair. The exhibit
includes one specimen valued at \$1,000.

See the World's Fair for Fifteen
Cents.

Upon receipt of your address and fif-
teen cents in postage stamps, we will
mail you prepaid our SOUVENIR POR-
T-FOLIO OF THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPO-
SITION, the regular price is fifty cents,
but as we want you to have one, we
make the price nominal. You will find
it a work of art and a thing to be prized.
It contains full page views of the great
buildings, with descriptions of same and
is executed in the highest style of art. If
not satisfied with it, after you get it,
we will refund the stamps and let you
keep the book. Address H. E. BOCK-
LEN & Co., Chicago, Ill.

An enterprising manager is endeavor-
ing to get Blundin, the veteran tight-
rope performer, to repeat his act at
St. Louis and repeat his feat of carrying
a man across the hills on his shoulders
up a tight rope. Governor White is
especially nominated as the man to be
carried over.

"Any Port in a Storm."
In a moment of calm reasoning try
"Royal Baby Port Wine." It is the
purest and best wine of its class. Good
tasting, excellent flavor and great strength.
Economical too, for medicinal and family
use. Let it convince you itself. Quart
bottles, \$1.00, pints 60 cents. For sale
by Dr. A. J. Storer. Bottled by Royal
Wine Co., Chicago.

Mr. GLADSTONE, who was a lord of the
treasury before Mr. Morley, Mr. Asquith,
Mr. Balfour, or Mr. Chamberlain was
born, is, nevertheless, not the father of
the house in point of age. Mr. Villiers,
who is 91, has that venerable distinction.

Buckley's Arnica Salvo.
The BEST BALM in the world for cuts,
bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever
sores, better, chapped hands, chilblains,
corns, and all skin eruptions, and pos-
sibly cures piles, or no pay required. It
is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction,
or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents
per box. For sale by King & World,
druggist.

Dinizulu, the son of Uddobuku, the
brother of the Zulu King, Cetewayo, is
on the island of St. Helena, a whole lot
other well-known gentlemen, Napoleon
Bonaparte, used as a health resort for a
while.

Mrs. N. MEYER, the Genesee county
treasurer of the W. C. U., and a very
influential worker in the cause of women,
says: "I have used Parke's Tea and find
it is the best remedy I have ever tried
for constipation. It requires smaller
doses and is more thorough. I shall use
nothing else in future." Sold by W. F.
Neisler.

Mrs. AGNES FERRY, prominent in so-
cial circles, died suddenly as a result of
excitement caused by the burning of a
certain in her room in Baltimore.

BURNS are absolutely painless when
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is promptly
applied. This statement is true. A per-
fect remedy for skin diseases, chapped
hands and lips, and never fails to cure
piles. C. H. Dawson.

It is said that Lillian Russell refused
to have her company travel in the same
train with Henry Irving, although Mr.
Irving suggested it.

No better aid to digestion.
No better cure for dyspepsia.
Nothing more reliable for biliousness
and constipation than DeWitt's Little
Early Biscuits, the famous little pills. C.
H. Dawson.

JOHN M. MURPHY, a dealer in fine
furs, many years of because his son had
committed a murder.

+IT IS+ A RECORD BREAKER.

Our sales have gone far beyond our
expectations.

The people of Decatur and vicinity
know a good thing when they see it
is the only explanation we can give.

The stock of Suits and Overcoats is
still unbroken. Come while the sun
shines. Make your dollars reach far-
ther than you will ever make them go
again.

C. J. BRYAN,

The People's Clothier,
OLD POST OFFICE STAND

STEEL+ RANGES. MILLER'S MONITOR.

BEST CONSTRUCTED,
BEST MATERIALS,
ECONOMICAL.
Elegant Cookers and Bakers.

LYTLE & ECKELS HARDWARE CO.

For Breakfast,
For Dinner,
For Supper,

THE FLOUR
That Always
Makes the Most
and Best
BREAD

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Manufactured by
THE
HATFIELD MILLING CO.,
DECATUR, ILL.

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NEW DEPARTMENT

STAMPING

At J. Edward Saxton's Book Store.

I have a large assortment of entirely New
Patterns for Fancy Work, and am prepared
to do Stamping at short notice.
The ladies are invited to call and see.

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